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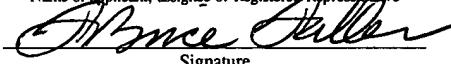
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

Responsive to the restriction requirement in the Office Action of August 10, 2004, the period for response being extended one month by the enclosed check for \$110, applicants hereby elect the species of Figure 3 for prosecution at this time. Claims 1-4 and 18 read on the species shown in Figure 3.

Respectfully submitted,

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